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Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 Twelfth Street, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20554

Re:

WT Docket No. 02-55 Ex Parte Presentation

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On Thursday, March 27, 2003, Robert Foosaner, Senior Vice President, Nextel Communications, Inc. ("Nextel"), Lawrence Krevor, Nextel's Vice President – Government Affairs, Leonard Cascioli, Nextel's Vice President - RF Engineering and Operations, and I met with Ed Thomas, Chief, Office of Engineering and Technology; Bruce Franca, Deputy Chief of OET; Julius Knapp, Deputy Chief of OET; Alan Scrime, Chief, Policy & Rules Division of OET; and Geraldine Matise, Deputy Chief, Policy & Rules Division of OET, regarding the Commission's above-captioned rulemaking on public safety communications in the 800 MHz band. During our meeting, we discussed issues raised by Nextel in its February 10 comments and February 25 reply comments on the Consensus Plan, including the urgent need to adopt the Consensus Plan as a means of resolving CMRS – public safety interference and providing additional spectrum for public safety communications. Attached to this letter is a copy of a description of the Consensus Plan that was provided to OET staff at this meeting.

Pursuant to section 1.1206(b)(2) of the Commission's rules, 47 C.F.R. § 1.1206(b)(2), this letter and attachment are being filed electronically for inclusion in the public record of the above-referenced proceeding.

Sincerely,

/s/ Regina M. Keeney Regina M. Keeney

cc: Ed Thomas
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